

AQHA

AQHA RANCH TRAIL

Date:	14/09/2025
Show:	DKQHA DM 2025
Class:	OPEN L1.
Judge:	Barbara Hengge

1 point

- over-bridled (per maneuver)
- out of frame (per maneuver)
- each hit, bite or stepping on a log, cone plant or any component of the obstacle
- break of gait at walk or trot for 2 strides or less
- both front or hind feet in a single-stride slot or space at a walk or trot
- stepping over or falling to step into required space
- split pole in lope-over
- incorrect number of strides, if specified
- 1 to 2 steps on mount/dismount or ground tie except shifting to balance
- wrong lead or out of lead for 2 strides or less

3 points

- break of gait at walk or trot for more than 2 strides
- break of gait at lope, except when correcting an incorrect lead
- wrong lead or out of lead for more than 2 strides
- draped reins (per maneuver)
- 3 to 4 steps on mount/dismount or ground tie
- trotting for more than 3 strides in lope departures or exiting a rollback
- knocking over or severely disturbing an obstacle
- stepping out of or falling off an obstacle with 1 foot
- missing or evading a part of log/obstacle with 1 foot

5 points

- spurring in front of cinch
- blatant disobedience (kick, bite, buck, rear, etc.) for each refusal
- use of either hand to instill fear/praise
- stepping out of or falling off an obstacle with more than 1 foot
- dropping an object required to be carried
- 1st or 2nd cumulative refusal
- letting go of gale
- 5 or more steps on mount/dismount or ground tie
- missing or evading a part of log/obstacle with more than 1 foot

Off Pattern (OP) - to be placed below horses performing all maneuvers

- eliminates or adds maneuver
- incomplete maneuver
- 3rd refusal
- repeated blatant disobedience
- failure to dally and remain dalled during the drag
- use of two hands (except junior and L1 horses shown in a snaffle bit/hackamore), more than one finger between split reins or any fingers between roman reins (except in the two reins)
- failure to open and shut gale, or failure to complete gale

Disqualified - 8 Score

- lameness
- disrespect or misconduct
- illegal equipment
- willful abuse
- leaving working area before pattern is complete
- improper western attire
- fall of horse/rider

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MANEUVER SCORES

Each horse/rider combination is scored between 0-100 points and automatically begins the test with a score of 70 points
 +1 = 2 Extremely Poor -1 Very Poor -2 Poor 0 Correct +1/2 Good +1 Very Good +1 1/2 Excellent

WO Entry #

Natural Ranch
Horse Appearance

Penalty Total

Score

Off Pattern

MANEUVER DESCRIPTION MANEUVER		T-O	W-O	ET/ST	Relu/S	Earl	SP/Bo	WT/On	LL/T	Coat	Natural Ranch Horse Appearance	Penalty Total	Score	Off Pattern
		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9				
1	2	1	1									2	69 1/2	
		0	0	+1/2	-1	0	+1/2	+1/2	+1/2	+1/2	0			
2	35	1			OP 3			OP 3				7		67
		0	+1/2	+1/2	+1/2	+1/2	+1/2	+1/2	+1/2	+1/2	0			
3	36	1	1									2	70 1/2	
		0	0	+1/2	+1/2	+1/2	+1/2	+1	0	-1	+1/2			
4	33	1	1									2	69	
		0	+1/2	0	-1/2	0	+1/2	0	0	0	+1/2			
5	96				III							3	70 1/2	+
		+1/2	+1/2	+1/2	-1/2	0	+1/2	+1/2	+1/2	+1/2	+1/2			

Judge's Signature: 